

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF TEXAS
CORPUS CHRISTI DIVISION

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA	§	
	§	
VS.	§	MAGISTRATE ACTION NO. C-08-960-1
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JESUS SANCHEZ	§	

MEMORANDUM OPINION AND ORDER OF DETENTION PENDING TRIAL

A detention hearing has been held in accordance with the Bail Reform Act, 18 U.S.C. § 3142(f). The following requires detention of the defendant pending trial in this case:

(1) There is probable cause to believe the defendant committed an offense for which a maximum term of imprisonment of ten years or more is prescribed in 21 U.S.C. § 2252A(a)(2); and

(2) The defendant has not rebutted the presumption that no condition or combination of conditions will reasonably assure the appearance of the defendant as required and the safety of the community.

The evidence against the defendant is substantial. The defendant admitted he possessed numerous images of child pornography. The findings and conclusions contained paragraphs one through six in the Pretrial Services Report are adopted. This is a presumption case. The defendant is a naturalized citizen. He has many friends and family members in Mexico, and has traveled throughout the world extensively. The fact that his files are not password protected indicates

that he took no steps to protect his children from access to the child pornography. His work involves extensive knowledge of, and contact with, weapons and weapons systems.

The defendant is committed to the custody of the Attorney General or his designated representative for confinement in a corrections facility separate, to the extent practicable, from persons awaiting or serving sentences or being held in custody pending appeal. The defendant shall be afforded a reasonable opportunity for private consultation with defense counsel. On order of a court of the United States or on request of an attorney for the Government, the person in charge of the corrections facility shall deliver the defendant to the United States marshal for the purpose of an appearance in connection with a court proceeding.

ORDERED this 15th day of December, 2008.


B. JANICE ELLINGTON
UNITED STATES MAGISTRATE JUDGE